

[24th January 1928]

Irrigation

Allotments for the construction of the Girisola channel and the Karatolly Tampara, Ganjam district.

* 1382 Q.—Sriman BISWANATH DAS Mahasayo: Will the hon. the Law Member be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government have sanctioned additional staff for taking up the construction of Girisola channel in the Goomsur taluk and for improvements to the Karatolly Tampara in the Chatrapur taluk (Ganjam district); and

(b) the allotments they have made or are going to make in the coming budget for these works?

A.—(a) No.

(b) The schemes are to be placed before the Finance Committee; and it is proposed to ask for Rs. 20,000 for the Girisola channel and Rs. 10,000 for the Karatolly Tampara for next year.

Amount spent for irrigation works in South Kanara in this year.

* 1383 Q.—MAHMUD SCHAMNAD SAHIB Bahadur: Will the hon. the Law Member be pleased to state—

(a) whether any amount has been or is being spent this year in South Kanara for irrigation works;

(b) if so, what they are; and

(c) if not, whether Government have any programme for any such works in South Kanara?

A.—The answers are in the negative.

Height of the F.S.L. at Dowlaishwaram.

* 1384 Q.—Mr. C. RAMASOMAYAJULU: Will the hon. the Law Member be pleased to state—

(a) the height at which the F.S.L. at Dowlaishwaram is ordinarily maintained; and

(b) whether the raising of it to some extent in order to facilitate greater supply of water has been considered by the Government?

A.—(a) Eight and a half feet.

(b) No. Other methods of increasing the supply are under consideration. The hon. Member's attention is invited to the answer given to question No. 1176.

Closure of canals in the Eastern delta in the East Godavari district.

* 1385 Q.—Mr. C. RAMASOMAYAJULU: Will the hon. the Law Member be pleased to state—

(a) whether the report referred to in the answers to clauses (b) and (c) of question No. 1137 answered on 4th November 1927 has been received and if so, what action has been taken on the same;